

# DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH POSTING OF VACANCY

## **NURSE CONSULTANT (Public Health)**

Health Care Quality & Safety – Facility Licensing & Investigations (7 positions)

Posting Date: October 1, 2012 Closing Date: October 15, 2012\*

PLEASE FOLLOW THE SPECIFIC APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS AT THE BOTTOM OF THIS PAGE!

Open To: The Public

Position Control Number: 012478, 099754, 100038, 012306, 100035, 100043, 012323 NOTE: THIS NUMBER MUST BE INCLUDED

**ON YOUR APPLICATION** 

Location: 410 Capitol Avenue, Hartford, CT

Shift/Hours: 1<sup>st</sup> Shift/35 hours per week

Salary Group/Range: HC 28/\$67,586\* - \$90,681 (\*New State employees)

<u>PLEASE NOTE</u>: CANDIDATES APPLYING FOR THIS POSITION MUST MEET THE MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS REQUIRED OR BE ELIGIBLE FOR LATERAL TRANSFER.

### **PREFERRED SKILLS:**

- Experience with organizing data, evaluating and analyzing proper care and treatment in accordance with federal and state laws and regulations and professional standards in healthcare;
- Experience with computerized data bases, MS Outlook and MS Word;
- Experience with documenting facts, findings and outcomes;
- Experience with independently interviewing consumers, health care providers and healthcare beneficiaries;
- Applicants to this position classification may be required to travel and be flexible with their work schedule.

### **MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS REQUIRED**

Knowledge, Skill, and Ability: Considerable knowledge of relevant State and Federal laws, statutes and regulations; considerable knowledge of principles and practices of nursing care administration and education for a variety of specialties with varied settings; considerable knowledge of principles and practices pertinent to community processes; knowledge of State, Federal and local health agencies and programs; knowledge of nursing education and skill in techniques of teaching; considerable interpersonal skills; oral and written communication skills; ability to plan, implement and evaluate programs; ability to collect and analyze data. Considerable knowledge of standards of care and service delivery in community based nursing agencies, licensed home health agencies, health care facilities and institutions.

### **EXPERIENCE AND TRAINING**

**General Experience**: Four (4) years' experience as a professional nurse in a position involving supervision, consultation, education or administration.

**Special Experience:** Two (2) years of the General Experience must have been in a public health nursing program, home health care agency, community health care setting or in a hospital.

<u>Substitution Allowed:</u> 1) A Bachelor's degree in nursing may be substituted for one (1) year of the General Experience. 2) A Master's degree in health services administration, nursing or public health may be substituted for one (1) additional year of the General Experience.

<u>Special Requirements:</u> 1.) Incumbents in this class must possess and retain a current license as a registered professional nurse in Connecticut. 2.) Incumbents in this class may be required to travel.

PLEASE NOTE: This position will be filled in accordance with reemployment, SEBAC, transfer, promotion and merit employment rules.

Application Instructions: ANYONE WISHING TO APPLY FOR THIS POSITION MUST COMPLETE AND FORWARD THE APPROPRIATE "State of Connecticut Application Form for Examination and Employment" (Form CT-HR-12) (ORIGINAL AND ONE COPY OF ENTIRE APPLICATION PACKAGE), NO LATER THAN THE CLOSING DATE AT THE TOP OF THIS FORM, TO:

Department of Public Health 410 Capitol Avenue, MS #13PER PO Box 340308 Hartford, CT 06134-0308

FAX: 860-509-7184 (if faxing, only one application is necessary) EMAIL:dph.recruitment@ct.gov

\* The closing date is for this posting. This may differ from the examination closing date for a competitive examination. Questions regarding this process should be directed to the Human Resources Office (Recruitment Hotline, 509-7223).

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